

# UPSHAW FURNITURE and CARPET CO.

Our Fall Stock is now ready for your inspection. We have the largest assortment in Central Kansas of

BED ROOM SUITS,	PARTOR SUITS,	SIDE BOARDS,	BOOK CASES,	LIBRARY CASES,	HAT TREES,	WARDROBES,
FINE PILLAR EXTENSION TABLES,	LIBRARY TABLES,	CENTER TABLES,	BEDSTEADS,	BUREAUS,	WASH STANDS,	BED SPRING MATTRESSES, PILLOWS,
						CHAIRS, ROCKERS, &c.

## CARPET DEPARTMENT.

Contains the largest and most complete line in the city, consisting of

AXMINISTERS,	MOQUETS,	VELVETS,	BODY BRUSSELS,	TAPESTRIES,
THREE PLYES,	EXTRA SUPESS,	MEDIUM SUPESS,	WOOL FILLING	
DOUBLE COTTON CHAIN,	SINGLE COTTON CHAIN,	CHINESE		
CARPETING,	VENETIANS,	COCOA MATTING,		
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Also a very large and elegant line of Curtains, Window Shades, Curtain Poles, Lace, Raw Silk and Turcanan Curtains, and all kind of Curtain and Shade Trimmings and Fixtures.



### Don't fail to call and see our Assortment.

### If you wish to Carpet and Furnish your House,

Don't fail to call on us as our assortment is so large we cannot fail to suit you both in style and price. Special prices given on large bills. Carpets made and put down. Don't fail to call whether you want to purchase or not, as it is a pleasure to show our goods.

Upshaw Furniture and Carpet Company,  
Corner 4th and Broadway.

CALL ON  
**R. F. RUSSELL**  
FOR LOW PRICES  
ON ALL KINDS OF  
HARNESS.  
CEDAR STREET, SOUTH OF  
RAILROAD,  
ABILENE, KANSAS.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I respectfully solicit your support for the office of County Commissioner for the second district, for which I am a candidate, subject to the voters at the November election.

SAMUEL BRICKER.

I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for County Clerk to be voted for at the November election.

FRED PIERCE.

I wish to announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Dickinson County, subject to the wishes of my many friends.

MRS. MARY E. LEMING,  
Jefferson Twp.

Have your prescriptions compounded at John M. Gleissner's Drug Store, east side of Broadway, cor. 3d street. 39-1y

#### LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

Don't fail to see the "Dainty" play at the Opera House October 8th.

Remember John Trott's big stock sale Thursday the 15th. Read the ad.

District court convenes next week.

Ice quart of an inch thick Tuesday morning.

Col. L. Swigart is to be the next Representative from the 75th district.

Prof. Tappan will give his grand opening reception on Thursday evening, the 15th inst.

Mrs. Andrew Stillie and children returned last Friday from an extended visit to her old home in Scotland.

P. J. Berry is selling more boots and shoes than ever before at Berry Bros. Mercantile Co. Call and see him.

Wm. Perkins, as coroner, will hold the inquest over the remains of our enemy in November.

Frank Lott left on the afternoon train last Saturday for a visit with his mother, at Minneapolis, Kan.

Frank Musgrave, of Salina, spent Sunday in this city, the guest of J. C. Royer and wife.

Mrs. Beaumont and daughter, of Greensburg, Pa., is visiting Rev. T. F. Stauffer, of this city.

For a good and interesting account of the soldiers re-union at Topeka, look on the inside of this paper.

R. N. Curtis and wife departed last evening for Jerseyville, Ill., where they will spend several weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

"Jack Frost" loomed up immense Tuesday morning, and mortally wounded everything that came in its way with its "bite."

Our candidates are superior in every particular to those of the democrats. Gazette. George is trying to be funny by joking a little.

The Prohibition department is edited by a gentleman of ability and high standing—being one of the best men in the county.

We notice with pleasure that the democrats in convention in several of our neighboring counties, have adopted the platform as enunciated and adopted by the democrats of Dickinson county.

Geo. H. McClellan, who for the past two years has held a clerkship in the general store of M. A. Finley, has severed his connection therewith and accepted a position with Hodge Bros.

G. W. Hubbard has severed his connection with Hodge Bros., and it is reported that George will look after his interests in the future in Texas.

Potter Bros. the popular grocers, can be found in the room next to the National bank. The building which they were in, has been moved out to make room for a fine brick building.

On Wednesday night of last week the packing house at Junction City was destroyed by fire. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary. The Tribune says: "The main building and contents were entirely destroyed, but the business office, weighing house, engineer's cottage, stable and fences were generally saved. The loss is probably about \$30,000, with \$13,500 insurance. The main building and machinery are reckoned at \$24,000; the stored meats and several hundred tons of ice make up the balance of the loss."



B. H. D'HUY, Ph. G.  
Opposite Depot.

The Democratic County Central Committee is hereby called to meet at the REFLECTOR office next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present, as business of importance is to come before the meeting.

W. H. EICHOULTZ, Chair'n.

B. L. STROTHER, Sec'y.

The "Moonshiner's Daughter," October 8th.

Laura Dainty has many friends in Abilene, who will be delighted to see her again.

A special to the Kansas City Times says that Postmaster Vilas has recommended Miss Ida Hendricks to the President for appointment as postmistress of the Abilene office.

When symptoms of malaria appear in any form, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla at once, to prevent the development of the disease, and continue until health is restored. A cure is warranted in every instance.

The tenacity with which people abide by their faith in Ayer's Sarsaparilla is explained by the fact that it is the best blood medicine ever used, and is not exalted in excellence by any new candidate for public favor.

Mr. Tildon S. Kraybill, of Lancaster, Penn., arrived here last Saturday, and is visiting his brother, Chris and other Pennsylvania friends. We hope he will conclude to locate here.

August Neuber, with J. B. Case, enjoyed a visit with home folks at Junction City last week. He took in the fair and viewed the big pumpkins of Davis county.

D. W. Keller and H. L. Tisdale will open out a fine grocery store in the Hodge room when completed. This will make a strong firm, and the REFLECTOR is glad to know that they have chosen Abilene for a business point.

Smoky Valley Baptist Association was in session at Manhattan last week. Quite a number attended from here. The Nationalist in its report said: "Wednesday night Dr. Welcher, of Abilene, preached an excellent sermon."

The Prohibition column to be found in another part of this paper is spicy and interesting. You can read it and chew as much of it as you wish, but remember, the REFLECTOR is not responsible for a single item appearing in that column.

A two-story house containing eight rooms and a pantry, situated on two lots with good barn, coal and cob shed, a never failing well of good water, a good bearing grape harbor, a lot of young choice fruit trees and shade trees on them, will be sold at a bargain, if application is made soon. The property is on north Fourth street in an excellent neighborhood. For further particulars call at the REFLECTOR office.

Mrs. Mary Beltzhoover, sister of our popular County Commissioner and city Alderman, S. Bricker, and Miss Alice, her daughter, left Saturday for their home at Boiling Springs, Pa. They will stop and visit friends for a few days at each of the following places: St. Marys, Topeka, St. Louis and Niagara Falls. Mrs. B. next spring will move to her large cattle ranch near Ness City, Ness county, Kas.

John Parker and Herman Pettit, of Clifton, Kas., and W. F. Baer, of Iowa, who were arrested here at the fair for passing counterfeit money, will have their trial at Junction City next Saturday. C. W. Liggett, the efficient deputy U. S. Marshal, was rushing around last Monday notifying witnesses to appear at the trial.

Clay Center Dispatch: Miss Tillie McGugin, a niece of Judge Culbertson, of Abilene, was in town this week visiting Mrs. P. P. Kehoe. Miss McG. is one of the Queen City's most accomplished young ladies, being a singer of some note and a cornetist of more than local fame. She plays the alto horn in Brady's brass band, a musical organization composed of ten charming young ladies. The band is practicing to assist the Dispatch band, when the latter gives its long promised concert to an Abilene audience.

The Democratic Convention of the 75th district, met at Enterprise last Saturday afternoon, according to call of the Central Committee. C. F. Blach was made chairman of the convention. Col. L. Swigart, of Newbern township, was placed in nomination, and no other name being brought before the convention, the Colonel was declared nominated by a unanimous vote for Representative of the 75th district, to fill vacancy of C. N. Coggeshall, resigned. The nomination is a strong one, and as the Colonel is well and favorably known in this district, he cannot help but make a strong fight.

A call at Berry Bros. Mercantile Co. Wednesday morning, found their large store rooms crowded with customers, and all hands busy selling goods.

W. H. Elliott has opened a new feed store on Third street. Be sure and give him your patronage.

"A Mountain Pink" is a clear American play. Miss Dainty, as the piece, surprised almost everybody with her natural, easy and spontaneous assumption of "Sincerity," the principal character. Commonwealth, Topeka, Kas., April 22, '84.

Mr. S. C. Sortwell and wife, of Port Allegheeny, Penn., arrived in this city last week as the guests of Dr. Raub and family. They are very much pleased with Abilene, and it may be that they will locate here.

"A Mountain Pink" is a rare dramatic production, full of life, pathos and with Miss Dainty, received no less than five encores during the performance, and it is safe to say she will always be welcome in St. Joseph. Gazette, St. Joseph, Mo., April 25, '84.

Sheriff Miller received a dispatch from Junction City Tuesday morning notifying him that a negro boy aged 16 years, five feet three inches high, large brown eyes, coat blue-cotton spun, name Joseph Waldron, and a white man named Onley King, 26 years old, five feet nine inches high, dark clothes, had broke out of jail. Fifty dollars reward is offered for their arrest. Onley King was in jail for grand larceny committed at Solomon city a short time ago. Another point why Dickinson county should have a good jail.

No sensible man should get angry because a newspaper man "takes" him for money. A dun is not an impeachment of a subscriber's integrity, but is simply an outcropping of a publisher's necessities. For instance, a thousand men owe us from one to two dollars, we have to dun them all in order to get enough money to pay our expenses. Instead of getting angry and "stopping the paper" because the publisher asks him for what is honestly due, that subscriber should thank the editor for waiting on him so patiently, and pay up like a little man. Reader, if you are in arrears, and don't like to be dunned, you are cordially invited to call at our sanctum and pay up.

#### Not a Dissenting Vote.

The election in Wichita township last week for subscription of stock to the Omaha, Abilene and Wichita Railroad, resulted in a unanimous vote in favor of the bonds, a thing which probably never occurred before in the history of bond voting. This is encouraging, and from the way the townships all along the line are showing themselves interested in the matter, this road will surely be built, and that not before many months pass by.

#### T. C. Henry on Top.

Judge Nicholson, at Junction City, last Monday decided that the receivership obtained by the Travelers' insurance company for a large amount of property owned by T. C. Henry, in and adjoining this city, was illegal and void. This decision restores the property to Mr. Henry's control, although the Travelers' will probably appeal to the supreme court. The amount involved is nearly \$200,000.

#### Notice.

All persons are cautioned not to purchase any of the following described notes, as they were lost or stolen:

One note for the sum of one hundred dollars, dated April 2d or 4th, 1885, given by G. Pagankopf in favor of F. W. Albrecht.

One note for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, dated March 1st, 1885, given by Louis Laurenz in favor of F. W. Albrecht.

One note for the sum of fifty dollars, dated January 11, 1885, given by Gustaf Albrecht in favor of F. W. Albrecht.

One note for the sum of fifty dollars, dated April, 1885, given by Wm. Kohls in favor of F. W. Albrecht.

Aroma, October 5, 1885.

"Sincerity Weeks," Laura E. Dainty, upon her first appearance, reminded one of Lotia or Anna Evans in many of her introductions, but the character soon required more depth of feeling and involved firmer principle, a deeper, finer and more womanly line of heart breaking renunciation than generally chosen by these two in their casts, so that the comparison was lost early in the evening. But she is endowed with rare skill in facial changes, sunbeams dancing over eyes and lips, chased by shadows of perplexity which darken into clouds of grief or despair, then give place as suddenly to sunshine and happiness. Miss Dainty won her audience by her naivness and ability. She received two calls before the curtain and was the recipient of a handsome bouquet from one of the boxes. It is worthy of remark that the proscenium and foyer boxes were all occupied by fashionable parties who cheered the actress with unusual enthusiasm. Kansas City Journal.

#### BONERAKE'S OPERA HOUSE.

R. M. WHITE, Manager,  
ONE NIGHT ONLY,  
Oct. 8th.

Return of Abilene's Favorite,

**LAURA DAINTY,**  
In Her Great Play,

**"A MOUNTAIN PINK."**  
STRONGER THAN EVER.

Reserve seats now on sale at North-craft's Drug Store.

Admission, 75 and 50 c

Notable Features of the Re-union  
McCallin Post, No. 117, G. A. R. won first prize, \$100; Abilene Post, No. 63, second prize, \$50.

From 75,000 to 100,000 people witnessed the sham battle.

Over 2,000 veterans were on the camp grounds Thursday.

Co. D, 4th Reg., Abilene boys, was the favorite, their blue appearance and perfect drilling, won laurels for them on all sides.

The sons of veterans, boys from 8 to 16 years of age, proved themselves proficient in drill, and were highly commended for their soldierly bearing and quickness in performing the different evolutions, and the excellent manner of doing their duty in the sham battle.

The National Guards not being able to keep the crowd back from the battle ground, the old veterans were called in duty again, and the "boys" took a lesson from them in seeing how easy such duty could be done when the work was understood.

The sham battle in the afternoon was one of the features of the day, and was witnessed by 75,000 people. Only one accident occurred, and this at the close of the battle. Walter Oliver, private, company D, Third Regiment, had loaded and cocked his gun and brought it to order, when it exploded, the blank shell tearing all the flesh off his arm and injuring him quite seriously.

#### Thanks.

MR. EDITOR:—I ask that your graciousness will permit me to avail myself of the opportunity which your columns afford, to offer the tribute of my appreciation and my gratitude to the generous friends who, despite my personal undeservingness, have again shown such benevolent regard for my comfort and happiness.

My esteemed friends, C. A. Hodge and C. G. Hawk, have presented me with a list of the names of personal friends who have paid for and placed in my room an elegant Westminster Hard Coal Burner, and also put into my coal bin a supply of coal.

I am not a sufficient adept in the use of an emotive vocabulary, to adequately voice the intensity of the loving gratitude which I feel for the kind friends whose thoughtful generosity has so amply arranged for my comfort during an approaching winter.

May there never be wanting comfort and happiness at the winter fireside of those whose generosity has shown itself so solicitous to arrange for the comfort and happiness of another.

Believe me, gentlemen, to be most appreciatingly and gratefully  
Your friend,  
G. A. BOWERS.

Abilene, Kas., Oct. 6th, 1885.

Teachers Examination at the Union School building in Abilene, on Saturday, October 31st, 1885, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m.

D. D. HORNADAY,  
Co. Supt. Pub. Inst'n.

#### Stock of new millinery goods at bank-

rupt prices at A. E. Bishop & Co's.

Look at our new imported dress goods such as Benetts, Chiviotts, Cloths, Camel's Hair, Serges, &c., just received at A. E. Bishop & Co's.

#### NEW FEED STORE.

I have opened a Flour and Feed Store opposite the postoffice block, Third street, where you can always find on hand all kinds of Flour, Feed and Brands at lowest prices. All orders promptly fulfilled. Free Delivery. Give me a call. W. H. ELLIOTT.

#### ABILENE MARKETS.

GRAIN.	
Wheat No. 2 (soft)	65 1/2
Wheat No. 2 (hard)	66 1/2
Wheat No. 3	59
Wheat No. 4	55
Rejected Wheat	20 1/2
Oats	18
Rye	25
STOCK.	
Hogs per 100 lb.	3.50/3.75
Steers per 100 lb.	3.00/3.25
Cows per 100 lb.	2.80/3.00
PRODUCE.	
Butter	15
Eggs	10
Chickens, per doz.	2.25
Flour, patent, per 100 lb.	2.50
Flour, straight grade	2.30
Potatoes	50
Turkeys, per lb.	10
Chickens, per lb.	10
Unheated hogs, per ton	5.00

Ladies, you can buy of A. E. Bishop & Co. a good untrimmed Wool or Felt Hat, for 50c to \$1.00, sold in shops at \$1.25 to \$1.75, and with every Hat a free ticket on a \$40.00 Black Silk Dress.

#### LaMaster's New Hog Cholera Remedy.

Sure cure and preventive for Hog Cholera. Recommended by Jon Hunter and other farmers of Dickinson county. Sold by D. G. SMITH, Druggist, Abilene, Kas.

#### For the Best Beef Steaks,

Roasts, Mutton, Pork, &c., call at Wahl Bros., Broadway Meat Market, where you can be supplied on short notice highest market price paid for Hides.

Don't you forget that Mrs. Como keeps the largest, best and cheapest stock of Millinery Goods in the City.

Heating Stoves in endless varieties, at Berry Bros.

If you want a Heating Stove that will give you comfort through the winter, Berry Bros. can supply you.

Norcraft's Hog Cholera Remedy is pronounced by all who have used it to be the best in the market. Farmers having sick hogs will please take notice.

Berry Bros. are the leaders in low prices for Heating and Cook Stoves.

#### MONEY!

I have money to loan as low as the lowest. J. H. BRADY.

The time is close at hand for you to begin to make arrangements for the winter, then go to Berry Bros. Mercantile house and get an elegant heating stove, either for hard or soft coal, at the lowest possible figures.

Call and see Berry Bros' elegant line of heating stoves for hard or soft coal.

Mr. Ed. Veigiard has a tin shop at his residence on Sixth street, west of the M. E. Church. He is prepared to do job and contract work of anything in his line.

#### COAL! --- COAL!!

Elk Mountain Anthracite Coal.

The best and cheapest hard coal in the market. Especially adapted for grate use, and stoves with open grates. HOBBS, PARKER & CO., Exclusive Agents for Abilene.

MONEY! MONEY!  
I have money to loan on Real Estate. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. H. BRADY.

#### PUBLIC SALE.

Having leased my farm for a term of years, I will sell without reserve to the highest bidder at my residence, two miles north of Carlton P. O., Wheatland twp., on

Wednesday, Oct. 14, '85.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property to-wit: 40 choice milk cows, 50 brood mares, two-year old colts, 1 work horse, 50 stock hogs, 1 DeWing binder, 1 Hoped lister, cultivators, yokes, harrows, drags, farm and spring wagons, creamery cans and tanks, 250 bushels of Rye, 250 bushels of Oats, 1 two-hole corn sheller, feed cutter, household furniture, and many other articles too numerous to mention. TERMS—A credit of 12 months will be given on all sums over \$5, paper bearing 6 per cent. interest. All sums under \$5 cash. BENJ. SMITH

## J. M. BRENNER

REMOVED INTO



HIS NEW STORE

Has removed into his fine new brick store building, on Buckeye, just north of Third street. He has added an

## ---Immense New Stock---

and now has one of the most complete assortments of

### DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, &c.,

To be found in Dickinson County.

### FINE DRESS GOODS A SPECIALTY.

### THE BEST STOCK OF FRESH GROCERIES IN THE CITY.

### FARM PRODUCE, ALL KINDS, WANTED.

Call in and see the elegant new store which all admit to be one hand-somest, with one of the best and most complete stocks of goods in the city.

## J. M. BRENNER.

### GREAT REDUCTION

—IN—

## BOOTS and SHOES

—AT—

## S. J. WRIGHT'S

### Boot and Shoe House.

We HAVE ALWAYS and will this fall and winter sell you BETTER GOODS at lower prices than any house in Abilene. Our fall and winter stock is now in consisting of everything in the Boot and shoe line. Don't buy your School Shoes or anything in the Boot and Shoe line anywhere else for I can and will save you from fifty-cents to one dollar per pair,

S. J. WRIGHT.

The only large exclusive Boot and Shoe Store in Abilene,  
BUCKEYE AVE., - - - ABILENE, KANSAS.